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1. DNR enforcement actions

DNR ENFORCEMENT ACTIONS

DES MOINES — The DNR has taken the following enforcement actions. Responsible parties have 30 days to appeal the charges or 60 days to pay the penalty.

- Dean Gettler South Place, of Montgomery County, was ordered to submit a complete manure management plan (MMP) and fee, and to pay a \$3,000 penalty. The order is in regards to failure to submit an MMP.
- Travis Aldag, of Ida Grove, was ordered to submit a complete manure management plan (MMP) and fee, and to pay a \$3,000 penalty. Aldag was also ordered to properly dispose of dead hogs at his facility and to have manure from a pit properly land-applied. The order is in regards to failure to submit an MMP, failure to properly dispose of dead hogs and failure to remove manure from a pit within six months of discontinuing an animal feeding facility.
- Chad Kooima, of Rock Valley, was ordered to submit a complete manure management plan (MMP) and fee, and to pay a \$1,500 penalty. The order is in regards to failure to submit an MMP.
- Bob Klaassen, of Sibley, was ordered to submit a complete manure management plan (MMP) and fee, and to pay a \$1,500 penalty. The order is in regards to failure to submit an MMP.
- John Hansen Farms, of Sioux County, was ordered to submit a complete manure management plan (MMP) and fee, and to pay a \$3,000 penalty. The order is in regards to failure to submit an MMP.
- Ranch Supper Club, of Swisher, was ordered to cease operation until it obtained a water supply operation permit, to pay \$250 in past fees and to pay a \$2,500 penalty.

In order to obtain an operation permit, and thereafter, the Ranch Supper Club must pay overdue fees and submit an application, perform required testing of the public water supply, and to provide public notice of deficiencies.

- The City of Bronson was ordered to comply with all water supply monitoring requirements, to obtain and maintain a properly certified operator, and to pay a \$3,000 penalty.
- Mr. Z's Café, of Ionia, was ordered to comply with coliform bacteria monitoring and reporting requirements, to comply with conditions of its water supply operation permit, and to install a continuous disinfection system. Mr. Z's Café was also ordered to provide public notice of the above violations and to pay a \$2,000 penalty.
- E-Z Picken's Truck Stop, of Manchester, was ordered to cease providing water from its public water supply facility and to provide water from another potable source or bottled water until the facility meets requirements. E-Z Picken's was also ordered to provide public notice of the violation, to install an approved chlorination treatment system, and to connect to an existing public water supply that meets requirements or to construct a new well that meets requirements. E-Z Picken's was also ordered to perform all required monitoring, and to cooperate with the DNR in identifying and eliminating the cause of bacterial contamination. The order is in regards to violations of the maximum contaminant level (MCL) for total coliforms in its public water supply, which may pose an acute risk to public health.
- I-35 Truckstop, Inc., of Williams, was ordered to perform required testing of its public water supply, to provide public notice of monitoring deficiencies and to pay a \$2,500 penalty.
- Clair-View Acres, of Delhi, was ordered to cease providing water from its public water supply facility and to provide water from another potable source or bottled water until the facility meets DNR requirements. Clair-View Acres was also ordered to provide public notice of the violation, to install an approved chlorination treatment system, to perform all required monitoring and to cooperate with the DNR in identifying and eliminating the cause of bacterial contamination. The order is in regards to violations of the maximum contaminant level (MCL) for total coliforms in its public water supply, which may pose an acute risk to public health.
- Al's Corner Oil Company, of Carroll, was ordered to cease record-keeping violations and maintain all required records, and to maintain future compliance with underground storage tank (UST) operation and maintenance requirements. Al's Corner Oil Company was also ordered to submit release detection records to the DNR and to pay a \$4,130 penalty. The order is in regards to two USTs located in Rippey.
- Fran Oil Company, of Council Bluffs, was ordered to cease violations of corrosion protection inspection, leak detection and record-keeping requirements, and to maintain compliance with underground storage tank (UST) operation and

maintenance requirements. Fran Oil Company was also ordered to conduct a corrosion protection inspection of the UST piping and submit a report to the DNR, and to pay a \$6,896 penalty. The order is in regards to a UST located in Council Bluffs.

- Imperial Properties, Inc., of Des Moines, was ordered to complete a Tier 2 site assessment, to submit a Tier 2 report and copy of a contract with a certified groundwater professional to the DNR, and to pay a \$10,000 penalty. The order is in regards to petroleum contamination at an underground storage tank site in Des Moines.
- Environmental Solutions, Inc., of Des Moines, was ordered to cease the landfarming of petroleum-contaminated soil at its site in Mills County for one year, to submit an operation and maintenance plan for the site, to cease the illegal disposal of solid waste and to document proper disposal of the solid waste. Environmental Solutions was also ordered to restrict access to the site, and to have an independent, Iowa-certified professional engineer design and conduct a site assessment to determine the extent of contamination, if any, and to submit the site assessment design to the DNR. Environmental Solutions was also ordered to certify that future sites for landfarming of contaminated soils meet all requirements prior to use, and to pay a \$10,000 penalty.
- John Derner, of Milford, was ordered to cease open burning of tires and other solid waste, and to pay a \$1,000 penalty. The order is in regards to burning of about 10 to 20 tires and other solid waste, creating black smoke and other air pollutants.
- American Packaging Corporation, of Story City, was ordered to comply with air quality construction permitting requirements and conditions, to comply with Title V operating permit conditions, to conduct volatile organic compound (VOC) testing as required by its Title V permit, and to pay a \$10,000 penalty.
- Ken Tolton, d.b.a. Duke Aerial Equipment, of Marne, was ordered to obtain required air quality construction permits or revise existing permits before constructing, reconstructing, altering or modifying equipment. Tolton was also ordered to obtain construction permits for any non-exempt unpermitted equipment or modified equipment at his facility, and to pay a \$500 penalty.

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